

HOW YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

this holiday season

Throughout the holiday season we strive to make sure that every person we serve feels welcome and cared for at Compass Housing Alliance. In offering warm meals, a gift, and supportive companionship, we hope to create a festive holiday for all of our guests and residents.

We need your help to make this season bright for all! By making a donation of warm clothing, food, gift cards, and more, **between now and December 15th**, you can make this holiday season as warm as ever for people working hard for their futures.

Items can be dropped off Monday-Friday between 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. at 68 S Washington St or contact [Jennifer](#) to arrange additional drop off times.

Your generosity is truly appreciated.

Shopping for deals on Black Friday or Cyber Monday?

Continue the warm, grateful vibe of Thanksgiving while you shop door busters and two-for-one sales! As you make your holiday gift list, consider gifts that can be donated and remember **Giving Tuesday is on November 28!** Join the global movement fueled by generosity and consider how you want to give back on [#GivingTuesday!](#)



Holiday Wish List

This year we have created an Amazon Wish List based off the requests of those staying in our programs. Travel thermoses, blankets, bedding sets are top requests this year! Check out our [Amazon Wish List](#) to view other holiday wishes. Items purchased from the wish list will be sent directly to

the Advancement Office in Pioneer Square where they there will be wrapped and delivered to guests and residents in time for the holidays.

Additionally, if you are purchasing from our wish list, you can select Compass Housing Alliance as your Amazon Smile charity and a portion of your purchase will be donated back to our programs!

Gift cards

Gift cards to [QFC](#), [Safeway](#), [Starbucks](#), or [McDonald's](#) provide our clients with a warm moment and a treat during the holidays. Many of our residents requested [Fred Meyer](#) or [Target](#) gift cards as they can be used to purchase both clothes and food. \$100 gift cards to grocery stores, Fred Meyer or Target can buy a family a holiday meal and more. Donated gift cards of \$20-30 for grocery stores, and \$5-10 for fast food restaurants are also appreciated. Amazon gift cards are also a great way for those in our transitional and permanent housing locations to shop for what they need to create a home.



Food for the Holidays

Non-perishable food items help our residents enjoy a holiday meal. Donations could include cranberry sauce, instant mashed potatoes, gravy, canned vegetables, desserts, beverages, and

other holiday favorites. Donations for Christmas must be dropped off to the Advancement Office **by Friday, December 15th.**

If you are interested in preparing & serving a hot meal at one of our shelters, please contact [Jennifer](#) to coordinate.

Make a Gift

Don't have time to purchase items? The cash gift you make today will be used to meet the immediate needs of our guests this season including healthy meals, warm beds, laundry services, supportive connections, and more. To make a gift, [click here](#) and note "Basic Needs" in any gift field!



We are happy to receive unwrapped gifts for our guests and residents anytime **before Friday, December 15th**. Please contact us at 206.474.1071 or via [email](#) to coordinate your donation.

[You can donate online](#) or contact Suzanne Sullivan, Director of Advancement at 206.474.1061 or via [email](#) to discuss your giving options.

These gifts truly mean the world to our residents and guests. Besides providing a good meal or much needed relief from the cold and rain, these gifts help to make our residents feel part of a community that welcomes and values them. We appreciate your partnership and your support is felt deeply by all of us here at Compass Housing Alliance.

With gratitude,

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WHAT WE DO

Compass Housing Alliance provides emergency services, people-centered care, and housing services throughout the Puget Sound region. [Learn more.](#)



VOLUNTEER

Take some time to make a difference in the lives of our most vulnerable community members. From meals to needs drives, we need your help! [Learn more.](#)



MAKE A GIFT

Compass will use your gift wisely to make a difference in the lives of people in need and transform our community. Thank you for your support! [Learn more.](#)



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